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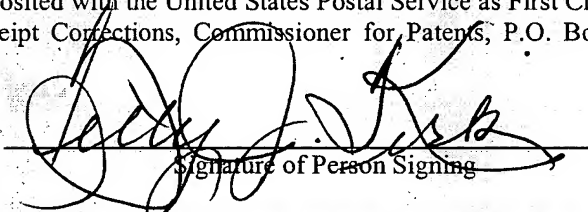
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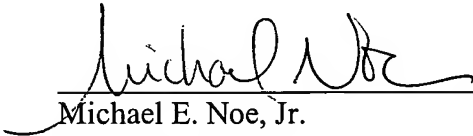
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Tie wrench for bending fence mounting clips around fencing wire to secure fencing wire to a fence post

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